

muon detector systems status

CMU

- status
 - no cathode voltage on 17w
 - 70% efficiency
 - reduced pulse amplitude and width
 - reconstruction changes could improve this
 - » (imho)
 - » need to characterize effects (v_d , $Q(t)$), may have enough information
 - arch pull would restore $\geq 2/3$
 - some unknown problem in 7e
 - 85% efficiency
 - more important perhaps than 17w as source unknown
 - “power supply” problems on various wedges
 - voltage sag
 - imperceptible change in pulse shape
 - +occasional ripple
 - adds noise sending trigger rates through the roof
 - investigated during shutdown without learning much
 - investigation continues (slowly) by UI+FNAL ee types
 - charge division calibration needs tweek
 - online calibration lacking
- ongoing work
 - software changes for 17w
 - online calibration
 - static load for 1 wedge

CMP

- status
 - all preamp problems addressed during shut down; no particular problems now
 - single and multi (HV) channel failure rate perhaps higher than other chambers
- ongoing work
 - build an accessible HV fan out box for bottom chambers

CMX

- status
 - se miniskirt (25°) fixed or added in shutdown
 - single channels fixed added 0.25% to efficiency so call it practice for fixing the two large holes (1%)
- ongoing work
 - miniskirt
 - in principle could have been finished west by now; need bodies, wouldn't take long if we had them
 - check trigger and reconstruction with se
 - need to add trigger for se
 - primitives for cmx ok, need work on csx; track extrapolation
 - calibration and alignment
 - have numbers for v_d ; need to disentangle wedge z alignment (too much data clearly)

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BMU

- status
 - few channels fixed during Jan access; mainly pre-amps replaced
 - cable left unplugged during access Mar 12 replaced during controlled access Mar 13
 - after power outage last week, one 15 °HV section was tripping. Fixed itself after a couple of days (hall conditions?)

TSU

- status
 - guess: un-cabling and re-cabling of TSU CCU's during shutdown zapped ~20 TSU PAD's with built up static electricity
 - Now have grounding braid connecting all TSU PAD's to toroid steel
 - Took some time to recover due to ~20% infant mortality of PAD's (and difficulty in accessing TSU)
 - Steps taken to avoid the infant mortality
 - longer PAD testing before insertion
 - stage repairs in trigger region from working PAD's in non-trigger region
 - install new pads in non-trigger region

CCUs

- status
 - shutdown work
 - all 20 CCU's in system removed, modified, replaced
 - add two more LV power supplies to PSM monitoring
 - required HW modifications to CCU's
 - additional PSM black boxes
 - PSM SW mods
 - new software checks old/new HV settings, to avoid false resets due to glitches
 - cost of replacing memory with rad hard \$4k/CCU, abandoned
 - west shielding and (hardware?) software upgrades have no apparent effect on tripping frequency (bummer)
 - ongoing work
 - still trying to understand failures

CSX/CSP/BSU

- status
 - few dead channels fixed here and there during shutdown

muon systems infrastructure status

HVMON++/muon3pc

- fallout from ifix upgrade still not completely gone
 - monitoring slower
 - regular heartbeat alarms from scintillator computer
 - other?
 - sucked up lots of our resources
- trigger inhibit failures
 - known failure mode in the phasing of hardware and software inhibits
 - fix agreed on, not implemented
 - software inhibit setting failures due to network failures
- CES/CCR/CPR channel to bar map sorted out yet?
- Other mysteries impossible to track down
 - random ramp down

TDCs

- more spares than we've had in a long time
 - 2 hot spares + 3 ready to be hot spares
 - question is whether to try fixing single channel failures or leave them as hot spares
 - 5 spares is 5% of total (3 needed for miniskirt completion)

monitoring

- online calibration
 - calibration+consumer (almost) done (lannon)
 - needs consumer interface (vickey)
- consumer monitoring
 - YMon: keep working on smarter code and better documentation
 - reference plot chi-sq doesn't work for somethings
 - reference plots sometimes don't change as fast as the actual situation does...
 - TrigMon (below)
 - ObjectMon: not taking full advantage of the possibilities

trigger

- most of the trigger is finished
 - miniskirt
 - in IMU we are still toying with the idea of shortening the scintillator pulse length so we can tighten the gate and reduce the rate; shielding helped west side
- need better tools
 - monitoring not so great
 - masking
 - not particularly our problem, but a problem

other

- ASD test stand could benefit from a few small upgrades